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It is certified that an error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Cover page, Column 1, Line 1:

Delete [FLIP-FLOP CIRCUIT ASSEMBLY] and Insert - - FLIP-FLOP CIRCUIT
THAT INCLUDES DIFFERENTIAL AMPLIFIERS- -

Cover page, Column 2, Abstract:

Delete [A flip-flop circuit arrangement having a total of four differential amplifiers (1, 2, 3, 4), which are connected to one another to produce a D flip-flop, is specified.

According to the suggested principle, the two shared emitter nodes (E1, E2) of the differential amplifiers (1, 2, 3, 4) are connected via a switch pair (S1, S2) to supply potential and are activated by a differential input clock signal at a control input (CN, CP). The present flip-flop circuit is operable using especially low supply voltage (VCC) and is preferably suitable for constructing frequency dividers or shift registers.]

Insert - -A flip-flop circuit includes a first differential amplifier with first emitter-coupled transistors having emitters connected to a first emitter node, where the first emitter-coupled transistors include collector terminals that form at last parts of a first circuit node and a second circuit node, and base terminals that are cross-connected to collector terminals of the first emitter-coupled transistors. A second differential amplifier includes second emitter-coupled transistors having emitters connected to a second emitter node, where the second emitter-coupled transistors include collector terminals that are

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connected to the first circuit node and/or to the second circuit node, and base terminals that form at least part of a third circuit node and a fourth circuit node. A third differential amplifier includes third emitter-coupled transistors having emitters connected to the second emitter node, where the third emitter-coupled transistors include collector terminals that are connected to the third circuit node and/or to the fourth circuit node, and base terminals that are cross-connected to collector terminals of the third emitter-coupled transistors. A fourth differential amplifier includes fourth emitter-coupled transistors having emitters connected to the first emitter node, where the fourth emitter-coupled transistors include collector terminals that are connected to the third circuit node and/or to the fourth circuit node, and base terminals that are connected to the second circuit node and/or to the first circuit node; - -

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